神社のススメ

JINJA NO SUSUME

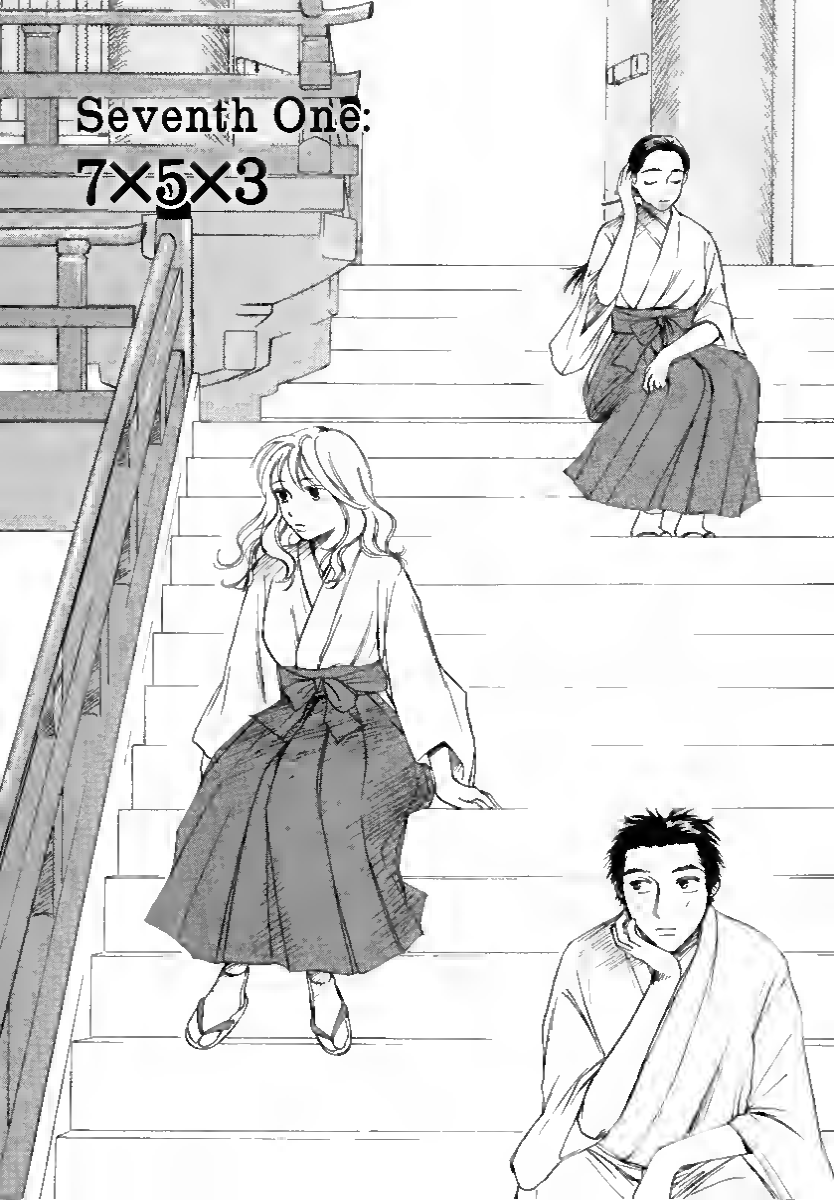
～ホワイト巫女と神職と～

田中ユキ
TANAKA YUKI

In "love" with!?
I-In...
...Sure.

You're pretty interesting, as a subject for observation

Well, you know, among the men I've seen, you're one top class good person
And, if you'll excuse me for saying so, it's fun watching you strive against adversity


Seventh One:
7×5×3

Ahh, it's already been a couple of weeks since she told me that
Doesn't this mean there's still some hope?
There's been absolutely no progress whatsoever
And there's been plenty of discouraging words along the way, but
Dinner
Date
in that case
Skinship

Shut up!
KNOCK
There's no way we could do that!
Aaah! Absolutely no good!
Kesennuma-san..
What's the matter, junior? Worried about something?
But weren't you supposed to be going out with Ryouko-chan?
Oh?
宿直室

Pampuru pimpuru pampopuru
pimpuru pampuru...
Actually, just the other day, she
Falling for someone who's just 15... You sure don't like to take the easy road.
That whole thing is just a mis-understanding
*Magical Girl Creamy Mami From 1983
Come on, I thought all girls were supposed to know Creamy Mami*
What is that, anyway?

You're reading too much into this.
He's 29
Damn that kid. She thinks I'm an old fart!
BAM
Really persuasive, coming from you
It'll be fine As long as you keep it on the down low, no one will ever find out
Oh well, don't worry about it Just go out with her and get it on all you want

*1989 or later It's the name of the "era" we're in right now (The previous one was Showa)

カサ
カサ
祝
How about this, then? You keep juggling both Ryouko-chan and Manabe-chan.
...Forget it.
POM
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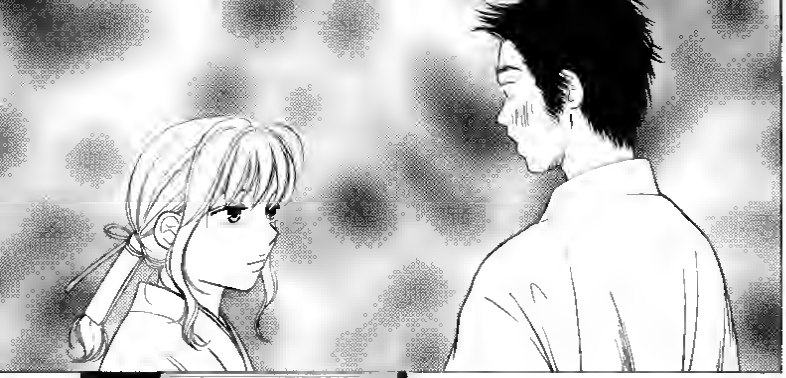
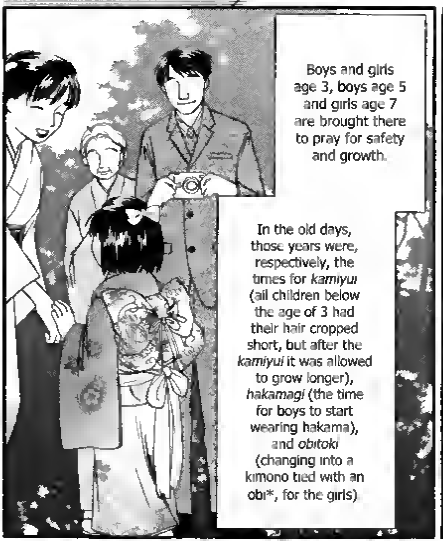
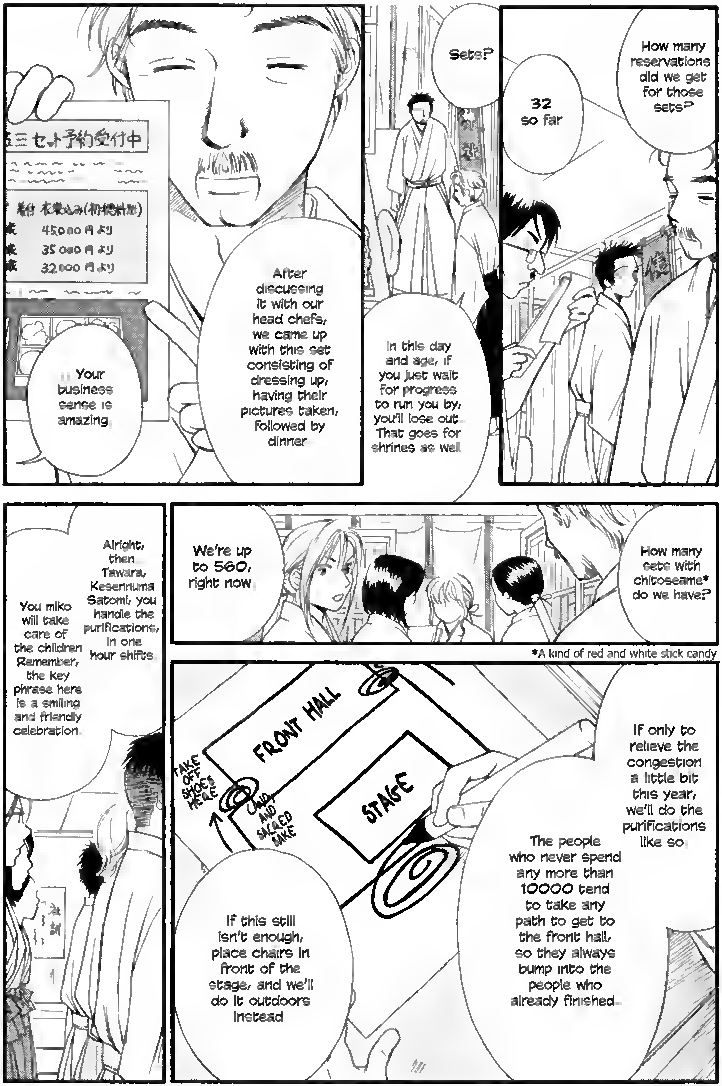
And then he was like,
Gyahaha

Look.
You're already this unhappy.
It'll feel better if you throw away your foolish pride and ignore what other people think, you know.




Boys and girls age 3, boys age 5 and girls age 7 are brought there to pray for safety and growth.
In the old days, those years were, respectively, the times for *kamiyui* (all children below the age of 3 had their hair cropped short, but after the *kamiyui* it was allowed to grow longer), *hakamagi* (the time for boys to start wearing hakama), and *obitoki* (changing into a kimono tied with an obi*, for the girls).

*An obi: being that broad "belt" you use with a kimono


三七五予約受付中
¥5000 円より
¥3500 円より
¥2000 円より
Your business sense is amazing
After discussing it with our head chefs, we came up with this set consisting of dressing up, having their pictures taken, followed by dinner
Sets?
In this day and age, if you just wait for progress to run you by, you'll lose out. That goes for shrines as well
32 so far
How many reservations did we get for those sets?
Alright, then Tawara, Kesenkuma Satomi, you handle the purifications, in one hour shifts
You miko will take care of the children. Remember, the key phrase here is a smiling and friendly celebration
We're up to 560, right now
How many sets with chitoseame* do we have?
*A kind of red and white stick candy
TAKE OFF SHOES HERE
FRONT HALL
CAUTION SLICK AREA
STAGE
If this still isn't enough, place chairs in front of the stage, and we'll do it outdoors instead
The people who never spend any more than 10000 tend to take any path to get to the front hall, so they always bump into the people who already finished
If only to relieve the congestion a little bit this year, we'll do the purifications like so

Eh?
Well, okay...
Yeah, me neither.
I know. We man the front desk and help out with the purifications, you two handle the kids
Smiling and friendly, huh? I can't frickin' stand kids, though.

Really ancient Japanese again
Sorry, but I'm not equipped to translate it.

What? Can't the parents go in too?
Okay, take your seats starting from the front
Here you go Congratulations
Please pass the sacred sake around among your family members
I guess we don't have a choice. Open up the stage and we'll do it in two places, just this once
Is this going to take much longer?
We can't keep up with the purifications! There's a 20 minute wait already
If I ever become a parent, I'm totally going to skip out on this whole thing
It's like they're herding cattle
70 declamations
COUGH
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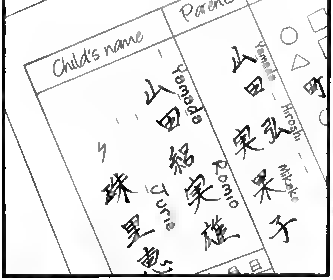
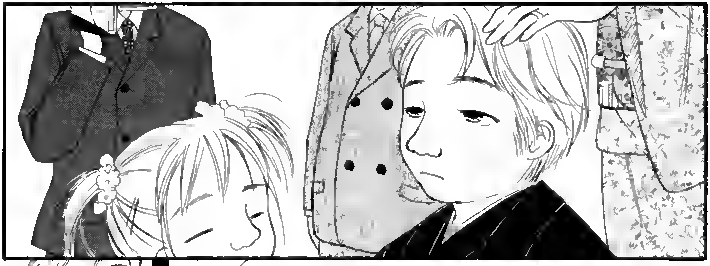
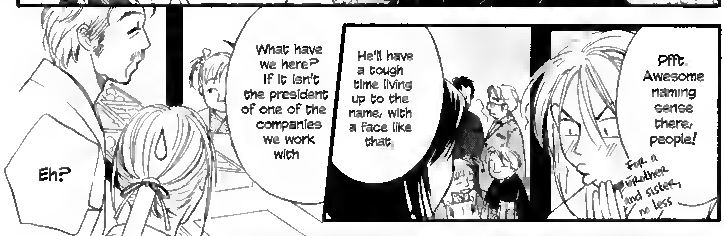
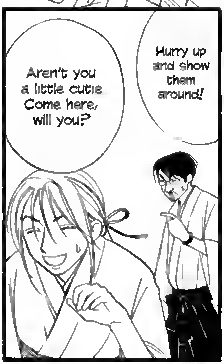


Those names are proper Japanese ones but they sure sound a lot like Romeo and Juliet.




Eh?
What have we here? If it isn't the president of one of the companies we work with
He'll have a tough time living up to the name, with a face like that.
Pfft. Awesome naming sense there, people!
Fine a refreshment and stickers, no less

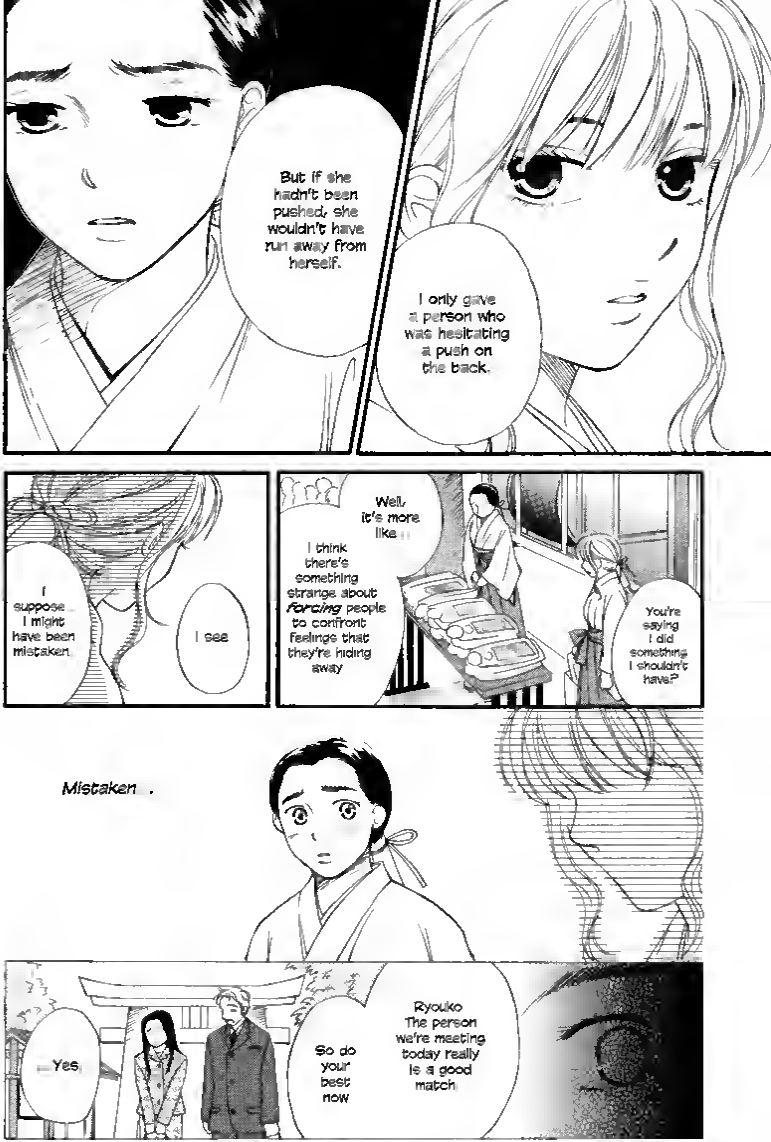


Requests like groundbreaking ceremonies for a new factory or prayers for workplace safety, even the frequent purifications before business trips, are steady sources of income for a shrine.
Shrines much like any normal companies, have to show special consideration towards good customers.

SQUISH
Tits!
Eeeek!
パサ
Panties!
I'm sorry He's a little mischievous
He he he
Ah, I'm so jealous... Getting under the hakama of all the miko was a childhood dream of mine
Hey, you'll piss them off
Butt!
ぴらっ

THWAP
Chiho-chan!
うぎゃあああ
Ah, but...
Children who do bad things should be punished
Sorry about that. And your set got all crumpled, too.
He's still just a little boy. It's enough to tell him "you mustn't do that", right?
Better watch out for that right, in the future

Nitta-san...
You've been avoiding me lately, haven't you?
Before that marriage ceremony, you saw what I did to make the bride run away, right?
It's not like that would change anything now.
I'm not sure I like that scary kind of Chino-chan...
But,
Well...
Why didn't you tell anyone else about it?


But if she hadn't been pushed, she wouldn't have run away from herself.
I only gave a person who was hesitating a push on the back.
I suppose... I might have been mistaken.
I see
Well, it's more like...
I think there's something strange about *forcing* people to confront feelings that they're hiding away
You're saying I did something I shouldn't have?
Mistaken...
...Yes.
So do your best now
Ryouko The person we're meeting today really is a good match

Ah...
This is why you'll end up an unemployed bum.
Come on, Satomi, don't drop the ball on us!
I have a job, okay!
キャー

That's great. He seems like a nice person
I'm not so sure I would call that getting along...
You seem to get along very well with the miko here
Please don't go to any trouble on our account
It's no trouble at all
I'm sorry, Nitta-san. My mother still hasn't come back from her shopping.
My father should be here any minute, though...

This one must be for you.
?
Slide
Oh.
こぽ
こぽ

Wouldn't it be great if something good happened to you?
The tea stalk.
Sorry to keep you waiting.
Eh...?
It only takes one look to see that he's not marriage material
You can't be serious. That's their second son
Whisper
Whisper
It wasn't *this* man?
I see...
So that's how it is...

RUMBLE
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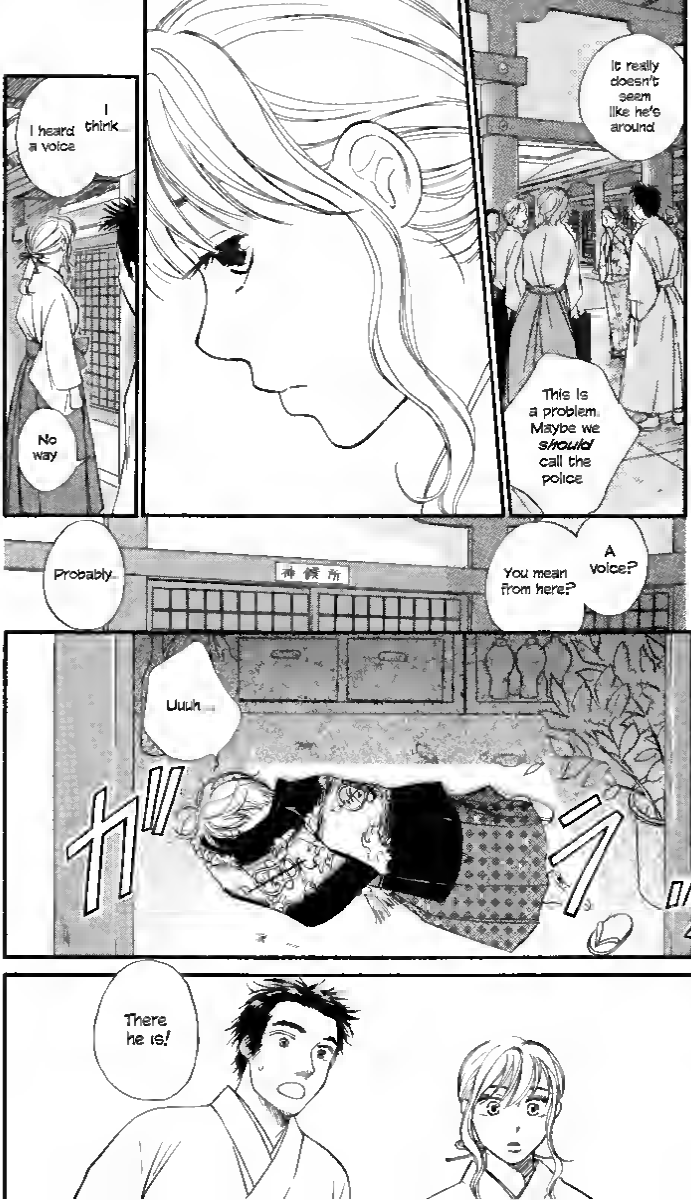
He said he would go out exploring
Oh my, where could Romio be?
Ah
Her again!
神
Tee hee

塩
It won't open!
Uuhhh.
BAM
BAM
SLAM
ka-chak
ka-chak
...
ching
Eh?
Come on...
Huh?
UEEEH~

Excuse me...
Have you by any chance seen my grandchild?
What!?
He hasn't been kidnapped, has he...?
He... He wasn't there!
Romio-kun!? I'm afraid not.
What kind of security do you have around here, anyway!?
Calm down, ma'am.
We'll have everyone search for him first.
Whoa!
Go look!
And you'd better find him alive!
You know, a dead body turning up on the premises would do no wonders for our image.
You're the one who didn't keep an eye on the squirt.
Hmph


It really doesn't seem like he's around
This is a problem. Maybe we *should* call the police
I think I heard a voice
No way
A voice?
You mean from here?
Probably...
Uuuh...
There he is!

Romio!
Mama!
Now, really!
Why was my son locked in a storage room?
That's what I'd like to know
I thought I'd surprise that girl from before...
So I hid in there...
Well, who locked that door?
Let's see, the one on that duty is...
Ah...

Eh...?
Sorry.
I hate you!
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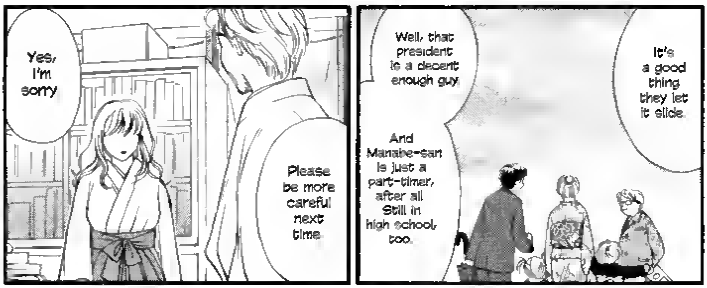
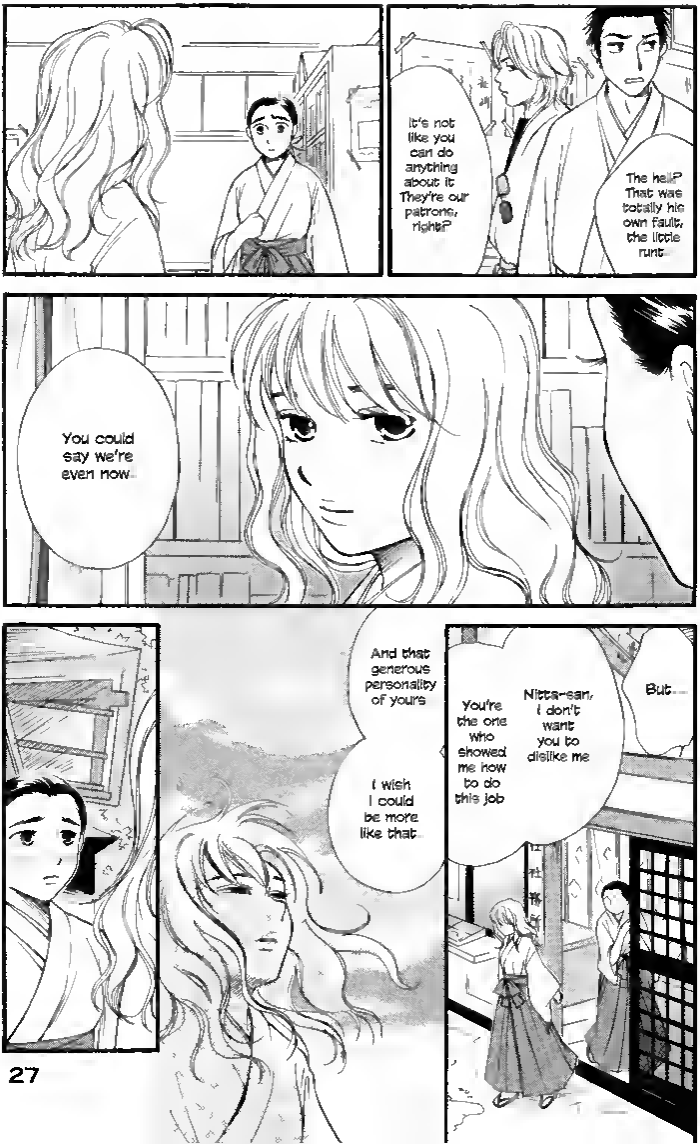
...Excuse me.
I locked that door.


Yes, I'm sorry
Please be more careful next time.
Well, that president is a decent enough guy.
And Manabe-san is just a part-timer, after all. Still in high school, too.
It's a good thing they let it slide.


It's not like you can do anything about it. They're our patrons, right?
The hell? That was totally his own fault, the little runt.
You could say we're even now.
But...
Nitta-san, I don't want you to dislike me
You're the one who showed me how to do this job
And that generous personality of yours
I wish I could be more like that.

What's that supposed to mean?
Of course we're not
But, you know, you two seem like you get along so well.
Is anything going on between you and Satomi-san?
Like, say, are you... maybe going out, or something?
Actually, I have a question for you...
I...
Already have a fiancé.
Around that same time, Satomi was
To confess
Not to confess
PLUCK
PLUCK
Hey! Stop scattering your shit around!

Katydid
Panarama Suzu
Sidney silver_deeds
Pollux wall flower
xengie Flump
mayairy-
active
happybobo321
Cream Puffs eunhYe
Freshy funnypages
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